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For: NETWORK SWITCHING SYSTEM WITH ASYNCHRONOUS AND  
ISOCHRONOUS INTERFACECommissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a One-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed April 7, 2004. The Commissioner is authorized to charge Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481 in the amount of \$110.00 for the One-month extension fee. An Amendment responsive to the outstanding Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith.

The Commissioner is authorized charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully submitted,

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